

## PRIMARY BILLS WERE RUSHED IN

It Is Said That the Date of Filing Was Hastened To Head Off Others.

## A SUDDEN COUP

There is Ground for Belief That One of the Bills Introduced is the Governor's Own Work.

(Special to The Gazette.) Madison, Wis., Jan. 24.—It now appears that there was "method in their madness," when the administration leaders introduced the primary election bills in the assembly yesterday. In fact it is said that the unexpected introduction of the governor's primary election scheme, at this early date, and with such apparent undue haste, was due to a counter move which was feared by the administration forces, on the part of the conservatives. It had been reported that it had been the intention of the conservative leaders to introduce a primary election bill of a mild scope, in the assembly at an early date, and the governor "got back" at them, by introducing two of his most radical measures, without waiting for the reported move on the part of the conservatives to be taken. So when the primary election bills were introduced, at Friday's session, when it was not expected that anything important would happen, it was a good deal like throwing a bomb into the conservative camp.

**Same As Stevens Bill**  
The two measures which have been introduced by the administration men are essentially the same, and follow the lines of the Stevens primary bill of two years ago in many particulars. The most surprising thing about the matter is the ground for the belief that the bill introduced by Mr. Andrew of West Superior, Mr. Lenroot's campaign manager, and a close friend and follower of the governor, is the governor's own measure, and that the Fear bill, which is much more radical, was propounded, and written by the statesman from St. Croix county. In fact here are many indications that the Andrew bill is the measure which is directly sanctioned if not written by the governor. The Fear bill is more radical in that it provides that the delegates to national conventions, and presidential electors be chosen by a direct vote. The bill also has another new feature, in that it provides that the two ballot boxes shall be used instead of only one. The bunch of tickets containing the names of the candidates of each party, is handed to the voter when he enters the booth, and when he goes out, he gives the marked ballot to the clerk and deposits it in one of the boxes. The unmarked ballots are deposited in the second box, and destroyed when the polls close. In this way greater secrecy is obtained, and also less work for the ballot clerks.

**It Was A Coup**  
There was undoubtedly a large number of greatly surprised senators when the gentlemen of the upper house reached their homes and saw the evening papers, for out of the thirty-three senators, there were only eight on hand when the body was called to order yesterday morning. They were therefore unaware of the sudden coup made by the administration men in the assembly. The senators who did remain to attend to business had a little fun on their own account, through Senator O'Neil's resolution, calling upon the absentees to make themselves useful by tendering their services to the government. In view of the danger of the Monroe doctrine, by the aggression of the powers in South America. Another taste of humor was added when it was referred to the committee on military affairs.

**Assembly Bills**  
In the assembly, Mr. Cady offered a petition from some of his Wood Co. constituents, asking for an amendment to the assessment and taxation laws, by directing county assessors to take from the bank records, the names of depositors and accounts of their deposits, so that they can be taxed. Under the present law, the assessors are unable to assess bank deposits, unless they have accurate knowledge that the funds exist there, and this information is refused by the banks. It was referred to the committee on assessment and collection of taxes.

**Inheritance Tax**  
E. W. Evans introduced a bill in the assembly yesterday morning which provides for the return of the money collected under the inheritance tax law, which was declared null and void, by the supreme court. About \$50,000 of this money is held by the state, while something over \$10,000 was paid into county treasuries, from which it will have to be paid out, again, by these counties, of the bill is passed.

**New Bill Coming**  
While this is being done, another bill is in preparation, and will be introduced, which will, it is hoped meet the objections of the old bill, and make a valid law. The bill which was declared invalid by the supreme court of the state, was passed at the last session of the legislature. It is probable that it will be passed this session.

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## GAME WARDENS WATCH FISHERMEN

Say There is Little Illegal Work Going on at Lake Koshkonong This Winter.

Deputy Game Warden Peter Drafiel has been spending considerable time lately at Koshkonong keeping a watch on the fishermen. He said there was very little if any illegal work going on at present and in a trip around the lake he found but sixteen lines that were set contrary to law. Last winter the wardens had lots of trouble but this winter they have had very little.

Warden Drafiel denies that he and Warden Gratz were given a long chase by a decoy fisherman. He said they did see the man out on the ice and started out, but he skipped out and they saw at once when they arrived at the place where he appeared to be fishing that he was not, so paid no further attention to him. After they had gone on up the lake, the decoy party came out from the shore behind them and went down the lake, but they did not chase him.

## STATE NOTES.

A poultry show and farmers' institute are being held jointly in Orma, Midwinter graduation exercises were held in the new high school at Oshkosh.

Members of the Kenosha lodge of Elks are planning the erection of a \$35,000 club house.

Over 600 people attended the play, "A Scrap of Paper," which was given at Baraboo by the senior class of the high school.

Fire in a Sheboygan department store caused a loss of \$20,000. The heat melted a water pipe, flooding all of the goods on one floor.

Mascagni has been elected honorary president for life of the Society Siciliana La Libertà, an Italian organization of Milwaukee.

Many graduates of Lawrence university assembled at Appleton to celebrate the semi-centennial of the Philanthropic literary society.

The residence of W. Knute, a farmer living near Knute, was destroyed by fire; Mrs. Knute and one of her children died from burns.

A wedding which was to have taken place at Grand Rapids on Thursday, occurred on Friday. The groom had forgotten about it the first time.

Twenty-three girls employed at the Schoen Manufacturing company of Racine as stitchers, were discharged because they had joined the union.

The Whitewater normal faculty and students surprised President Salisbury at the opening of the school by presenting him with a handsome diamond stud.

A Christian Scientist at Marinette was taken to the isolation hospital for small pox. He will not be given medical treatment, aside from when seriously injured.

Traffic on the Wisconsin Central was delayed for several hours by a serious wreck at Burlington, caused by a collision between a freight and passenger.

Arthur S. Wheeler, assistant instructor in the English department at the state university, has been asked to resign because of investigations which showed that he had been pursuing improper habits.

Evidence in the Dodriessen divorce case at Green Bay is being taken behind closed doors. It is said that many society people are giving sensational testimony.

## MEN TRAMPLE WOMEN TO DEATH IN FACTORY

Panic-stricken Cigarmakers at New York in Mad Rush to Escape From Fire.

New York, Jan. 24.—Three women were trampled to death and five women and one man severely injured in a panic in Leopold Miller & Sons' cigar factory on Crosby street as a result of a fire in an adjoining building.

The dead: Jennie Messina, Fannie Kersberg, Mrs. Mary Sparbara.

The flames from the burning building beat against the walls of the cigar factory, causing a panic among the 500 men, women and boys at work. There was a wild rush for the fire escapes at the front and rear ends of the building, in which the weaker were crushed and trampled by the stronger. The men pushed the women aside and when they reached the second story instead of waiting for the ladders to be raised pushed the women off to the ground fifteen feet down and leaped themselves. In this way many women were hurt.

The worst scenes, however, were on the stairways, by which crowds of the panic-stricken employees tried to escape from the building. The men shrieked as if mad and, knocking the women down, trampled them underfoot. At the third story there was a blockade and had it not been for the timely arrival of the police the death list would have been much longer.

**Schwab's Yacht at Palermo.**  
Palermo, Sicily, Jan. 24.—The steam yacht Marguerite, with Charles M. Schwab on board, has returned here. Information regarding the health of Mr. Schwab was refused.

**No Sunday Ball.**  
Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 24.—In the house a bill was introduced prohibiting the playing of football and baseball on Sunday. The penalty is a fine of \$50.

## THE COMMITTEE INVESTIGATING

House Committee Probing the Alleged Attempt at Bribery of Congressman Lessler.

## SCANDAL GROWS

Lessler Says He Was Offered Five Thousand Dollars to Help the Bill Through.

(Special by Scripps-McBae.) Washington, D. C., Jan. 24.—The naval committee of the House is thoroughly investigating the bribery charges that have been alleged by Member Lessler in the matter of the purchase of the Holland submarine boats.

**Offered Five Thousand**  
Lessler accuses Phillip Doblin with offering him five thousand dollars if he voted for the Holland submarine boat bill. Doblin says that he was asked to see Lessler by Qigg who made him the offer and sent him.

**Refused To Talk**  
Doblin testified that when he went to Lessler and told him the proposition that Lessler told him to stop talking and not mention money to him. Doblin is an important witness.

## WILL RECRUIT TEN DAYS MORE

Enlisting Station Will Be Closed by Orders from Milwaukee—May Open Later.

If there are any would-be soldier boys in Rock county, it is up to them to hurry up with their applications for enlistment. In about ten days the local station will be closed, and Private Blake, who has been stationed here since last September, will be transferred to another city. Capt. F. B. McCoy of the 3rd Infantry came to this city to acquaint Mr. Blake with these plans.

This vicinity has been worked out and so Mr. Blake is to be given some more fertile field in which to work, probably Portage. The results have been very satisfactory during the past months, but it can be readily seen that for the present there would be but poor return for the time spent here by Mr. Blake. The station will probably be re-opened next fall.

When Capt. McCoy returned to Milwaukee he took with him a recruit for the signal corps, Enos G. Doner, of Padua, O. Mr. Doner has been a student in the Valentine School of Telegraphy, whence a number of men have been secured for that branch of the service. He will go at once to Fort Myers, Va.

## OPPOSITION TO CUBAN TREATY

British Traders Send Deputation to Foreign Secretary Lansdowne.

London, Jan. 24.—The deputation from the chambers of commerce of the United Kingdom which was selected to discuss the proposed reciprocity treaty between the United States and Cuba, it being claimed that it shuts out other nations from trading with Cuba, was received at the residence of Lord Lansdowne, the foreign secretary, who is still indisposed. The proceedings were private.

## CANADA RETAINS COAL DUTY

Rebate on Bituminous by United States, Being Temporary, Ignored.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 24.—It is said on good authority that there is little prospect of the Canadian government following the action of the United States congress in removing the duty on bituminous coal. The rebate of duty by congress being only temporary, the opinion here seems to be that it would be inadvisable for Canada to take off its duty under the circumstances.

**Grant Estate Escapes Tax.**  
New York, Jan. 24.—Surrogate Fitzgerald on an application made by General Frederick D. Grant, ruled that the estate of Mrs. Julia Dent Grant, the widow of President Grant, was not liable to pay inheritance tax.

**Bricklayers Elect.**  
Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 24.—The International Bricklayers and Masons' union selected Trenton, N. J., as the place for holding the 1904 convention and elected George P. Gubbins of Chicago president.

**Concurs in Memorial.**  
Madison, Wis., Jan. 24.—The assembly concurred in the senate joint resolution relating to a memorial to congress asking that increased power be given the interstate commerce commission.

**Honors the Kaiser.**  
London, Jan. 24.—King Edward has invited Count Wolff-Meternich, German ambassador to Great Britain, to dine at Windsor castle next Tuesday, Emperor William's birthday.

## VERDICT AGAINST LABOR UNION MEN

Executive Committee of Brass Moulders Convicted of Conspiracy to Commit Assault.

## "WRECKING CREW"

Testimony Showed It To Be Their Duty to Disable Men Taking Strikers' Places.

(Special by Scripps-McBae.) Chicago, Ill., Jan. 24.—After one of the most remarkable trials in the history of Cook county Jacob Johnston, Wm. Mangen, Gus Hopp and Thomas Christy were found guilty of conspiracy to commit an assault.

**Union Leaders**  
The convicted men were members of the Brass Moulders' Executive committee otherwise known as the "Wrecking Crew." The testimony showed that it was their work to have non-union men disabled who took strikers' jobs.

**Good Pay**  
It also developed that sluggers received as high as twenty-five dollars a job for disabling non-union men and one witness testified that he had been hired to murder non-union firemen and dynamite the factory where the strike was on.

## MRS. BARRINGTON INJURES HER ARM

Is Suffering from Torn Ligaments as the Result of a Bad Fall.

Mrs. A. H. Barrington is among the unfortunate people who are suffering from injuries received from falling on icy sidewalks. The accident to Mrs. Barrington occurred Thursday noon and as a result she will be forced to carry her left arm in sling for some time to come. The ligaments of the elbow are quite badly torn although the injury is not quite so serious as was at first feared.

The injury to the left arm seemed rather peculiar as Mrs. Barrington struck on her right side when she fell. Her arm is quite painful and as torn ligaments are slower to mend than broken bones, she does not hope to regain the use of her arm very soon.

There has been an unusually large number of similar accidents this year. For several weeks past many of the sidewalks in the city have been a menace to the safety of pedestrians. Little flurries of snow, covering the ice with a thin coating, make the walks even more dangerous and the wonder is that there have not been more accidents. There is a city ordinance requiring property owners to clean their walks of snow and ice but it is evidently not lived up to.

## FREIGHT DELAY BLOCKS TRADE

Slow Movement of Merchandise by Railroads Causes Complaints.

New York, Jan. 24.—"Heavy transactions in merchandise are reported, but there is much complaint regarding the slow movement of freight. The situation as to general lines is aggravated by the precedence given fuel over all other freight except live stock and perishable goods. Notwithstanding the extensive increase in transportation facilities during the last year, some roads have been compelled to decline consignments, and in many cases where a large number of cars were desired only one was provided. Earnings thus far available for January surpass last year's by 5 per cent. It is conspicuous in practically every section of the country that, despite high prices, buying is liberal and of the better qualities of goods, while dealings as a rule are on more of a cash basis." The foregoing is from the weekly trade review of R. G. Dun & Co. It continues:

**Building Materials.**  
"Demand for building materials is unusually brisk for the season, and prices of lumber at the South have advanced. Although fortunate sections are receiving a better supply of fuel, the situation is still serious, and many pig iron furnaces have been added to the idle list. As producers have sold their capacity for some time there is little new business and no effort on the part of sellers to secure contracts. Hence prices of pig iron are steady and new transactions light.

"As to the demand for finished products, requirements are still pressing in railway equipment, both structural and rolling stock, and it is stated that orders have been placed for as many tons of steel rails as were produced in the full year 1902. Steel for buildings, bridges and ships find a ready market, and implement-makers are becoming more active. New orders for merchant steel are light, but old contracts are still numerous.

Mrs. I. B. Earle of Edgerton visited friends in this city today.

## SUPPER PRECEDED BUSINESS SESSION

Teachers of the Presbyterian Sunday School Held Pleasant Meeting Friday Evening.

Business and pleasure were combined by the teachers of the Presbyterian Sunday school at their monthly meeting, which was held in the parlors of the church on Friday evening. These meetings are held for mutual helpfulness and as a rule are devoted entirely to the discussion of the interests of the Sunday school and of the best methods of carrying on the work.

Friday evening this discussion was preceded by a social session. At six o'clock an appetizing picnic supper was served, about twenty of the teachers of the school sharing in the enjoyment of the feast. Later, some time was devoted to the more serious work for which the meeting was called. Supt. I. F. Wortendyke presided and directed the discussions.

## SPARKS FROM THE WIRES

Minority stockholders of the Union Traction company are fighting the stock depositing plan.

Building operations in New York during the past year surpassed all in the city's previous history.

In a fire panic in a New York cigar factory three women were killed and twenty persons injured.

Lower New York stock prices are expected by the financiers, but money is then likely to remain high.

Lymann Abbott's works were characterized by a Michigan professor as "mush" which seemed to please "old women of both sexes."

Frederick Vanderbilt will give a fifty room dormitory to Yale university. He has already donated one costing a million dollars.

Bishop Burgess of the Episcopal diocese of Long Island commended the attitude of the Roman Catholic church on the divorce question.

Indictments were found by the federal grand jury at St. Louis and several arrests were made on charges of abetting naturalization frauds.

Chicago coal men, charged with conspiracy were placed on trial in Judge Horton's court. Attorneys agree to present their briefs early next week.

Bids for the Chicago Pneumatic tube service were opened at the Postoffice department and the contract was awarded to the Chicago Postal Pneumatic Tube company.

Ministers throughout Illinois are to preach to-morrow in favor of the Parker local option bill, which gives wards the right to vote on liquor question.

Miss Viola Larsen, a would-be literary artist, arrested for alleged writing of objectionable letters to Miss Estelle Berger; was told by Judge Tut-till to go home and get the notions out of her head.

Judge Marcus Kavanaugh, as author of a magazine story entitled "Scrap-pee Halpin," rendered a verdict for the newshoy against humanity; the hero is a street arab who fights and gambles but who is square.

Prof. W. D. MacClintock, of the University of Chicago, in an address of the Arche club described moral ideals as "microbes" ready to live in any susceptible organism; patience not more submission, but trained apprehension.

## STEBEN COUNTY MAN PASSES CENTURY MARK

John Plum Teeple of La Porte, Ind., Expects to Vote at Next Presidential Election.

La Porte, Ind., Jan. 24.—John Plum Teeple of this city reached the century mark Friday. He was born in 1803 in Steuben county, New York, located in Indiana in 1816, the year before it became a state, came to this city in 1833, the year the town was surveyed and platted and one year after the county was organized. He cast his first vote in 1824 for John Quincy Adams and since that year he has not failed to vote at every general election, always voting the Democratic ticket. He believes he is fated to vote for the nominee of the next Democratic national convention. He is now wholly blind and practically deaf, but his mind is as keen as a half century ago, when he was a prominent figure in the affairs of this section of Indiana. He has always been abstemious and regular in his habits, has smoked very little, but has been an inveterate tobacco chewer since he was a lad of 17 years. He makes his home with his daughter, Mrs. Weir of this city. He has one other daughter, Mrs. Hattie T. Hamilton of Washington, D. C., who came to assist in the reception of guests who attended the celebration which marked the passing of the century milestone.

**Ballestrom Resigns.**  
Berlin, Jan. 24.—In the re-hsting Vice President Stolberger read a letter from Count Ballestrom resigning the presidency of the body, in view of the disturbances during debate last week.

**Increases Capital Stock.**  
Columbus, O., Jan. 24.—The Zanesville Southern Railway company of Zanesville, operators of an electric line, have increased its capital stock from \$10,000 to \$1,000,000.

**Mrs. Hamill, President.**  
New York, Jan. 24.—Mrs. Charles D. Hamill of Chicago has been elected president of the National Needlework Guild.

## GERMANY WANTS A LAND GRANT

Everything Now Points to This, in Action of the Kaiser's Latest Move.

## MIGHT MEAN WAR

England Will Probably Drop Its Alliance with William if the Present Policy Is Pursued.

(Special by Scripps-McBae.) Washington, D. C., Jan. 24.—It is the conviction of the government officials here that Germany is trying to make at test case of the Monroe doctrine in the Venezuela question and will demand a land indemnity as their share.

**Can Not Pay Bills**  
It is thought that through repeated delays they intend to force the Venezuelans to come into a state that they can not pay their bills and that they will then demand payment in the shape of a strip of territory as the only solution left to the impoverished country.

**Looks That Way**  
Every step taken by Germany in this matter looks that way and points to this as the only conclusion. A crisis is to be expected to come almost any moment. It is expected here that England will break with Germany or force the latter to assume more reasonable course.

## STILL FIGHTING

San Carlos Resists the Guns of German Fleet.

Maracalbo, Jan. 24.—At 2 o'clock Friday afternoon Fort San Carlos was in the possession of the government forces, and the bombardment by the German warships was still going on. There has been no material change in the situation.

The gunboat Panther was the only vessel to come inside the bar. Communication with the fort is difficult.

Great excitement prevails in Maracalbo.

President Aranguren of the state of Maracalbo called to arms all citizens, from 16 to 60 years of age, belonging to the militia, in order to resist the possible landing of German forces at Lake Maracalbo. Five hundred men immediately answered the call.

## Venezuelans Hold Fort.

Caracas, Jan. 24.—The German warships Vineta, Gazelle and Panther are apparently finding the reduction of Fort San Carlos a far more difficult task than they anticipated it would be. The bombardment was continued Friday, and despite the fact that the fort has been badly damaged by the German shells, the garrison is still holding out gallantly.

So far as can be learned, the German vessels have not suffered from the fire from the fort. Even the gunboat Panther, the smallest of the three vessels engaged, which has done its fighting at closer range than the others, does not appear to have been damaged to any appreciable extent. It is impossible to learn what is passing inside the fort.

## Condemn Germany.

The excitement among the Venezuelans over the action of Germany has reached fever heat, and her course is condemned in unmeasured terms on every side.

Up to this hour no news has been received here tending to confirm the report that the German warship Panther had entered Lake Maracalbo, and that the Venezuelan cruiser Miranda had surrendered. The rumor is believed to be without foundation.

The Dutch warship De Ruyter reports at La Guayra that twelve men and five women have died from hunger and thirst on the island of Los Roques, the blockade preventing the landing of food and water there.

## DISCUSS NEW PORTFOLIO.

Members of Senate Committee Oppose Transfer of Bureaus.

Washington, Jan. 24.—The bill for the creation of the new executive department of commerce was under consideration at the hands of the subcommittee of the senate committee on commerce and a decision was practically reached as to the lines of the recommendation to be made to the full committee. In a general way the subcommittee is inclined to adhere to the bill as it passed the senate, although there is a willingness to make minor concessions. The members were a unit, however, in the opinion that the provision authorizing the president to transfer the interstate commerce commission and other bureaus to the proposed department which was inserted by the house should go out and will so recommend to the full committee.

## Kaiser's Christmas Hunt.

The Kaiser always holds a Christmas hunt in the Royal forest of Gohrde. Last year 300 deer and 200 wild boar were killed in two days.

## SEVEN HUNDRED ATTENDED LODGE

JOINT INSTALLATION OF OLIVE BRANCH AND LAUREL LODGE.

## WAS A CHARMING CEREMONY

Ladies Drill Team, Dressed in Appropriate Costumes, Carried Off the Honors.

Fully seven hundred people assembled in East Side Odd Fellows' hall, Friday evening, to witness the joint installation of officers by Olive Branch lodge, No. 36, A. O. U. W. and Laurel lodge, No. 2, Degree of Honor. The hall was crowded to its capacity and the immense audience hardly left room for the work of the evening.

It was regular meeting night for the Workmen and their brief business session was held in the lodge room while the audience was assembling in the hall above. Immediately after the adjournment of the lodge the installation services were held, the A. O. U. W. officers being the first to take the obligation. Past Grand Master Workman J. M. Tuayser was the installing officer and the ceremony was an interesting one.

**Attractive Drill**  
The honors of the evening, however, were carried off by the ladies whose installation was enhanced by the work of their drill team. Before the installation this team gave an exhibition drill in which the various pretty movements were faultlessly executed. The ladies were all costumed in white shirt waists and black skirts, the two leaders having their waists trimmed with bands of green. They carried staffs which were wound with smilax and trimmed with pink and white carnations.

**Officers in Charge**  
This team also took a prominent part in the work of installation for the Degree of Honor. Mrs. Elia Page, of Baraboo, grand usher for the state organization, was the acting grand chief of honor, being assisted by Mrs. Nettie Collins, acting grand usher. The members of the drill team are Miss Dahlia Buob, captain; Mesdames Frank Bick, John Heller, H. Nelson, Daniel Davey, Jacob Bick and Carrie Hyder and Misses May McCarthy and Frances Koebler.

**D. of H. Officers**  
The following is a list of officers installed by laurel lodge: Hattie Marsden, past chief of honor; Nellie Ohlweiler, chief of honor; Minnie Skelly, lady of honor; Hannah Marshall, chief of ceremonies; Mary Tanager, recorder; Maggie Cook, financier; Anna Buob, receiver; Kate Marshall, lady usher; Rose Bohan, inside watch; Mildred Hough, outside watch; Agnes McCue and May McCarthy, maids of honor.

**Workmen Installed**  
The officers installed by the Workmen are E. F. Schumacher, past master workman; John Heller, master workman; Jacob Bick, foreman; Fred Schmidt, overseer; George E. Tanager, recorder; Ed. O. Smith, financier; George H. Robinson, guide; E. C. Klenow, inside watch; Frank Bick, outside watch.

**Dancing Followed**  
At the conclusion of the services the floor was cleared and dancing as indulged in until a late hour this morning. Music was furnished by Baldwin & Rehfeld's orchestra, the musicians being partially concealed behind a tall bank of palms. The hall was further decorated by the banners of the two orders. During the dance program, the committee which had charge of the floor included John Heller, Phillip Ohlweiler, W. J. Hilt and Fred Schmidt.

## STOCKHOLDERS ARE MUCH PLEASED

Annual Meeting of the Oak Hill Cemetery Association Held Last Evening.

The stockholders of the Oak Hill Cemetery association held their annual meeting last evening in the assembly room of the city hall. A large number of the stock holders were present and listened to the reports of the various officers.

The financial report of the association showed an increase in the funds since last year. The balance on hand being considerably larger. The balance on hand January 1, 1932 was \$1,353.55, receipts during the year \$3,318.50, disbursements \$2,727.20 leaving a balance January 1, 1933 of \$1,944.85. The request fund shows a balance of \$3,120 and with the \$2,525 invested in mortgages, makes the assets in cash and mortgages \$5,645.85.

**Year's Report**  
During the year there have been 144 interments as follows:

City of Janesville	100
Rock County	14
Wisconsin, outside county	4
Other states	19
<b>Total</b>	<b>144</b>

**Trustees Chosen**

The trustees elected were J. A. Denniston to succeed W. H. Judd, W. J. Skelly to succeed E. E. Loomis and Charles Cleland to succeed W. T. Vankirk.

At the close of the stockholders' meeting the trustees met and elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

President—Volney Atwood  
Treasurer—S. C. Burnham  
Secretary—W. F. Carle.  
The executive committee consists of the officers and trustees Sherer and Skelly.

The different committees of the association will be named by the president in a few days.

Best for your stomach, liver kidneys, and bowels; soothes and cleanses every organ; makes a new being of you, and life worth living. Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Smith Bros.

## ARE CERTAIN THAT THEY WANT CURTIS

State University Sentiment Seems to Be Strongly in Favor of the Former Star.

Before the Wisconsin alumni dinner in Chicago everything was hazy on the Badger foot ball coach question. Since the endorsement of Art Curtis at that meeting public sentiment at the state university has suddenly crystallized and everyone is sure that Curtis is the right man for the place. If the athletic board should confirm this choice it is considered probable that Charles McCarthy, a former Brown full back, will be chosen assistant. By having one man to keep his eye on the line men, and the other on the back field, the Badgers think they can turn out a team that can make all past eleven look sick.

## JOHN L. FISHER ON TOAST LIST

Former Member of Madison Chapter of Kappa Sigma, to Speak in Chicago.

John L. Fisher has been honored by being chosen as one of the speakers at a banquet to be held at the Chicago athletic club on February 7, by college men and alumni of the college fraternity of Kappa Sigma. Mr. Fisher was a member of the Madison chapter of Kappa Sigma when a student at the University of Wisconsin, and has always been closely identified with the interests of that chapter. The coming banquet is to be given by the Chicago alumni association of Kappa Sigma and invitations have been issued to alumni and active members throughout the states north of the Mason and Dixon line. It is one of the great affairs of the year in the life of the brotherhood, and was last year attended by nearly four hundred men.

## MAY HAVE GRAND TRACK MEET SOON

Rockford, Beloit and Janesville High Schools and Beloit Academy To Meet on February 21.

Coach Hollister of Beloit college is behind a movement to hold a grand indoor track meet at Beloit on Saturday Feb. 21. The contestants will be members of Rockford Beloit and Janesville high schools and Beloit college academy. Mr. Hollister has been in correspondence with the athletic directors of all of these institutions, and has received no adverse replies. His purpose in the meet is to awaken interest in this branch of athletics early in the year before the larger college meets which are to come later. There will be eleven events and silver and bronze medals will be awarded the two best men.

## BROTHER WAS SHOT FOR GETTING COAL

Cigar Workman Came Here a Few Days Before His Brother Was Wounded.

Employed in H. O. Schmidley's cigar factory is the brother of the boy who was shot in Chicago Wednesday for picking up some coal. The injured lad was trying to get some coal from the tracks of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad, and was shot by Special Officer Martin J. Ward, who was employed by the railroad company to keep off marauders. Ward was arrested and is still in jail through inability to secure \$2,500 bail. His case will be heard on Monday.

William Stohmeyer, the wounded boy is reported to be recovering from the effects of the bullet. His brother, E. H. Stohmeyer, came to this city one week ago yesterday, in response to an advertisement for help inserted by Mr. Schmidley in a Chicago paper. When he left home William was just recovering from a siege of illness. The news of the accident was of course a severe shock to him. He has since heard from another brother that William had been seen at the hospital and was safely on the way to recovery.

A two pound can of baked American Hulled Beans, which you can purchase at any good grocer's for 15 cents, gives you more actual nourishment than four pounds of any unhulled beans, yet American Hulled Beans cost you no more than do any reliable high grade brand of unhulled beans. It is economy to buy American Hulled Beans and a pleasure to eat them. Ask your grocer.

## ...Forty Years Ago...

Janesville Daily Gazette, Saturday, January 24th, 1863.—It is understood that McClernand's and Grant's troops have started down the Mississippi to attack Vicksburg. McClernand's troops came down the Mississippi over a week ago, and Porter's gunboats and mortar fleet are to make against the place in conjunction with the land forces.

The ladies have a belief that Parisian corsets wear much longer than any others, and the dear creatures are right as they always are, for we beg leave to call attention to the occupation of Rome by Louis Napoleon's army as an incontestable proof of how exceedingly lasting French stays are.

We notice that Major Johnson of the 15th regiment, receives honorable mention for his bravery at the battle of Murfreesboro, in the official

## FEBRUARY MEET OF THE GROWERS

THE STATE HORTICULTURAL AND OTHER SOCIETIES' PROGRAM.

## WILL MEET ON THE THIRD

Papers To Be Read by M. S. Kellogg and His Father, Who Are Both Well Known Here.

Program for the joint convention of the Wisconsin State Horticultural society, the Wisconsin State Board of Agriculture and the Agricultural Experiment Association have been sent out. The convention will be held in Madison, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Feb. 3 to 6 inclusive. The officers of the three societies have done all in their power to make it one of the most pleasant and profitable joint sessions ever held. Able speakers have been secured from this and neighboring states and all persons interested in agricultural and horticultural lines of work will find it profitable to attend.

**Local Speakers**  
Among those who will appear on the program are M. S. Kellogg, of this city, who will speak on "Tree Digging" and his father, George J. Kellogg, of Lake Mills, who was for many years a resident of Janesville. The older Mr. Kellogg will speak on "The New Strawberries," a subject on which he is an expert authority.

The sessions will be held in the historical chamber rooms in the capitol building, the executive committee meeting on Monday evening. The first general session of the convention will be held Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock and after the invocation, the president's greeting and the appointment of committees, the morning will be devoted to the discussion of apple growing. This subject will be continued in the afternoon. The evening session will be under the direction of the department of agriculture of the university.

**Wednesday's Meetings**  
On Wednesday morning the reports of delegates from various societies will be heard, "Blight," "Plant Breeding," "Tree Digging" and "Growing Vegetables" will be discussed. Wednesday afternoon the discussions will cover plum and cranberry culture and marketing fruits. The session Wednesday evening will be largely in the nature of an entertainment. Every alternate number will be musical and there will be addresses by President George McKelrow, State Supt. C. P. Cary and J. W. Livingston.

The Thursday morning session will be the annual business meeting, the program including the president's address, the reports of the secretary and treasurer and the election of officers. The business meeting will be followed by the discussion of strawberry culture.

**Closing Sessions**  
At the session on Thursday afternoon the reports of the committees will be received, the growing of pears in Wisconsin, hairy perennials, the open road, ideal citizenship and horticultural work for women will be discussed. The closing session Thursday evening will be a memorial session with addresses by Rev. E. G. Uptake, W. A. Henry, C. F. Cronk and A. J. Phillips. In connection with the convention there will be exhibits of apples, cash premiums being offered.

**Many Societies Meet**  
The list of associations which will hold meetings in Madison during the week of the convention are the Wisconsin Board of Agriculture, Wisconsin Agricultural Experimental association, Society of Veterinary Graduates of Wisconsin, Wisconsin Live Stock Breeders' association, Wisconsin Short-horn Breeders' association, Wisconsin Jersey Breeders' association, Western Guernsey Breeders' association and Wisconsin Association of Town Insurance Officers.

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## INVITATION NOT NECESSARY

All Who Desire May Attend the Burns Banquet, Tuesday Evening. Any one desirous of attending the Burns' Banquet at Central hall next Tuesday evening may do so by first sending the required advance notice to A. Graham Galbraith in order that preparations may be made. This applies to those who would like to attend but who did not receive a printed invitation.

R. W. Hill and H. H. Clough were up from Beloit last evening and attended the performance at the Myers Grand.

## ...Forty Years Ago...

report of Col. Lieg. Major Johnson was a member of Beloit college at the breaking out of the war, and when the proposal was made to raise a Scandinavian regiment he recruited a company of which he was chosen captain and was soon promoted to the rank of major.

The chief engineer of the Galena and Chicago Union railroad is advertising for proposals for grading the line of the Beloit and Madison road between Oregon (Rome Corners) and Madison.

More new books! Just received at the bookstore of Sutherland and Elder, The Canoe and Saddle Bag, Winthrop; Thoughts in My Garden, Mary G. Ware; Grape Culture, John Phila; Manual of Gymnastic Exercises for Schools and Families, Ware; together with a large invoice of photographic albums, family Bibles and miscellaneous books generally.

## ST. PETER'S HELD BUSINESS SESSION

English Lutheran Congregation Approved and Adopted By-Laws—Will Incorporate Feb. 6.

The Caledonian rooms were the meeting place Friday evening of the congregation of St. Peter's English Evangelical Lutheran church. The object of the gathering was the adoption of by-laws and the election of officers. The latter purpose was not accomplished, however.

Rev. A. C. Andra presided over the meeting the most of which was devoted to a discussion of the by-laws proposed by the committee appointed several weeks ago. They were finally approved and adopted as a whole. It is then deemed inadvisable to take up the election of officers until some later meeting. The remainder of the hour was given up to a general parliament in which the subject was the future program of the church. It was decided to hold a meeting on Feb. 6, for the purpose of incorporation, at which time officers will be elected.

Sunday, Feb. 8, will be the date of the installation of the officers, and the administration of the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Rev. Andra will remain in this city until next week, and hopes to meet all of those who are interested at the meeting on next Lord's day, when he will deliver the discourse.

## SHADE COMPANY STARTS ITS WORK

New Spring Brook Factory Is Now Turning Out Finished Goods.

The Hough Shade corporation are now operating their new plant and turning out "Vudor" shades. The plant was started on Thursday noon and about one-half the force that will be employed are now at work. The officers of the corporation are now ready to have the plant inspected by the Janesville Business Men's association, to show them that they have completed their part of the agreement wherein they agreed to erect a factory and put it in running order, provided they receive a certain sum to cover the expense of moving from the East.

**Work Completed**  
They have done all this and have a factory that it a credit to the city and the corporation. The force now at work will be increased as fast as possible until a full force is at work.

**Small Portion**  
The money subscribed by the citizens to secure this plant amounts to very little alongside of what it has cost to erect the factory and install the machines. Messrs. Hough and Farnsworth have certainly fulfilled their part of the agreement so far and the money subscribed by the citizens is now due the corporation.

## PLANK ASKS FOR CITY COAL YARD

That Will Be Part of the Socialistic Platform in the Spring Municipal Election.

One of the most prominent members of the local branch of the Social Democratic party in this city is authority for the statement that that party will make its entry into city politics this spring. It will put into the field a complete municipal ticket, and will embody in its platform city ownership of the coal yards and of the water works and other public utilities. The local branch has about twenty-five members at present, all of whom are very enthusiastic and believe that they could not have a year in which the economic conditions all over the country would do more to verify the truth of their socialistic doctrines.

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## Theatrical Notes.

The Storks may not be the most mirthful production that has ever been staged, but it sufficed to keep the audience at the Myers Grand on Friday evening in hilarious laughter whenever Richard Carlo or Glycer Gregory chose to open his mouth or turn around. There is not much point in speculating on the result if the two were removed from the cast, but it does not seem probable that it would evoke more than a feeble and evanescent smile.

Exception might perhaps be made in the case of William Rock, who was cast for Zizzlewitz, the hard luck story repository. In all the course of the "musical fantasy," as its authors term "The Storks," he had not an intelligible word to say, his single utterance on all occasions being a hocus pocus of jargon. His appearance was nevertheless always the signal for a burst of laughter.

Richard Carlo's asinine royalty, or rather lack of regal dignity, and Gregory's stolid drollery went well to make an inimitable comedy team. Both of them were assisted by side-splitting make-ups. Miss De Sousa, Miss Stanton and Mr. Stanley furnished the musical talent. No one would ever accuse the two leading gentlemen of being able to sing. The male chorus contained a number of unusually powerful and tuneful voices, furnishing a background against which the ladies appeared at a decided disadvantage.

The musical setting was not of the whistleable variety, but contained some very musical bits, notably two of the songs in which Miss De Sousa appeared. The stage mounting was handsome and the color effects and costume designs were uniformly attractive.

### King Dodo

No comic opera in years has won such universal commendation as "King Dodo," the new and now reigning success. It is filled with bright and catchy lines and music of the most melodious order. The book is by Frank Pixley and the music by Gustav Luders. These gentlemen within a few years have won golden opinions from the foremost critics of our day, and it has been safely asserted that they will win for themselves the proud title of "Writers pre-eminent of comic opera." Gilbert and Sullivan held that distinction on the continent of Europe for years and the mantle is sure to fall on these two young writers, who claim the United States as their home. It is a treat to hear so many pleasing numbers in one evening and to listen to comedy above the low-comedy of today. The whole makes up a performance second to none and we can assure our patrons that they will see a production that will in every way reach the magnitude of all productions given under the supervision of Henry W. Savage, who has spared neither expense nor time in giving to the public at large, the very best. "The Sultan of Sulu," "The Prince of Pilsen," and "Peggy from Paris" are among the successes touring the states, and if "King Dodo" is given the reception his Royal Majesty deserves, Mr. Savage will surely include our city in his regular yearly list.

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### At Cozy Corners

Theatre-goers are requested to make a special note of the engagement of Miss Adelaide Thurston in her new play, "At Cozy Corners" at the Myers Grand, Monday night February 2nd. Few who seek diversion at the theatre have failed to hear of dainty and pretty little Adelaide Thurston. She has arrived permanently in the affections of theatre-goers, judging from the evidences of her popularity chronicled in the theatrical criticisms of the newspapers along the line of her route. Rarely have such enthusiastic accounts of an actress's success ever passed through the mails, and Miss Thur-

verdict.

### Sally in Our Alley

George W. Lederer's latest divinity, "Sally in Our Alley," here February 13, is said to be a compound bordering on burlesque, filled up with up-to-date fun, catchy music, and the musical bouquet of beauty characteristic of Lederer productions. The cast is a big one and includes a number of local favorites, among them Junie McCree, Richard F. Carroll, George Schiller, Frank Farrington, Harry Fairleigh, Jeanette Lowrie, Margaret Marston, Catherine Lewis, Caroline Heustis and Tessie Mooney.

### Clever Reporter

The discussion in literary and dramatic periodicals anant the charac-



### WEST OF PEDRO, Act 1, "KING DODO."

ton's managers, Frank J. and Caxton Wiltach, have not spared postage stamps in spreading the news of delighted audiences and record breaking receipts. Can it be that the successor of Lotta, Maggie Mitchell and Patti-Rosa has arrived in cute little Adelaide Thurston? Certainly indications point that way, and theatre-goers that like clean wholesome entertainment may expect it when Adelaide Thurston and her company in "At Cozy Corners" play here.

### Bostonians

The Bostonians this season are stronger than ever. They easily lead all other comic opera organizations in the country. The great company that has recently presented "Robin Hood" and "Maid Marian" in New York with such signal success will appear in its entirety here. H. C. Barnabee, W. H. MacDonald, Geo. B. Frothingham and Josephine Bartlett continue in their original parts. Miss Grace Van Studdford is the prima donna. The musical critics of the country say she is undoubtedly the finest soprano ever engaged by the Bostonians. Night after night at the Academy of Music, New York, the vast audience cheered her to the echo. Her work is equal to the finest of grand opera is the general

### Military Discipline

During the performance of "Lovers' Lane" in a Pennsylvania town the other night, the electric lights suddenly went out and the players retained their places on the stage, in total darkness, for 35 minutes, until a local linenman, who chances to be in the gallery, climbed a high pole in the alley and located and repaired the break. There is something like military discipline in the stage management of the William A. Brady companies.

### DRAMATIC SCHOOL TROUPE MAY COME

Faust Dramatic Institute of Milwaukee, Aided by Professionals, Will Make State Tour.

The Faust-Carr company, which is composed of students of the Faust dramatic school of Milwaukee, are making plans for a tour of the state, to begin on February 8. Janesville has been selected as one of the cities which will be visited. The itinerary will include nearly ten of the principal show towns of the state. The company will present the "Vendetta," returning to Milwaukee Feb. 13. While many of the members of the company are amateurs who are in the school of acting, the performance given is of a standard far above the amateurish, and the principal parts are taken by well-known professionals. Mr. Faust has been for some years stage director of one of Milwaukee's principal theaters.

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### READJUSTMENT IS NOT WELL LIKED

Modern Woodmen of America May Form County Association to Fight It Out.

Wherever there is a lodge of the Modern Woodmen of America, the great topic of discussion is the readjustment plan which the national officers have proposed. In Franksville, Racine county, a protective association has been organized to fight the policy. In Milwaukee the opposite sentiment has been expressed. The opinion of a number of the Woodmen in this city seems to be that a readjustment is necessary, but not so radical as the one proposed.

Janesville Woodmen say that the policy has been the subject of discussion at almost every meeting for some time past. Many of them believe that a county protective organization will be ultimately established. They say that the rates have been too low in the past, but they fear that the new system will go to the opposite extreme.

### HOHENADEL MAY CHOOSE MONROE

Is Waiting for Word from the Promoters of That City, to Take Action.

P. Hohenadel, Jr., and George C. Powers, industrial commissioner for the Illinois Central railroad went to Monroe last evening to meet the citizens' committee in regard to their cannery factory project. There is little question, that if the people of Monroe furnish the necessary site for the plant but that it will be built at once.

The Watertown project is likely to fall through for the reason that the farmers in that neighborhood are all interested in raising sugar beets and it is doubtful if the necessary acreage of corn and cucumbers could

be secured. The erection of a plant at Watertown would not affect the Monroe project as the company is figuring on the erection of two new plants if they can get favorable locations.

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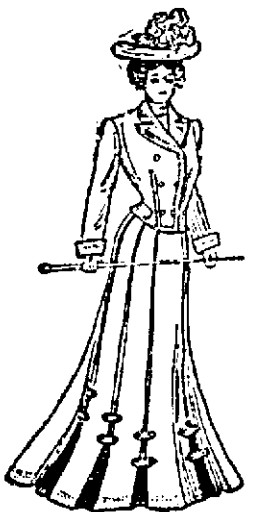
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## AN HONEST MAN

Two young men were discussing honesty the other night, when one of them said to the other:

"John, what is your opinion of honesty? A great deal is being said these days about this common virtue, and the impression is quite popular that almost every man is honest. What do you think about it?"

"Well, Tom, I have never given the matter very serious thought. I believe the courts declare that every man is honest until he is proved guilty, and I suppose that in the court of public opinion, the same verdict concerning honesty, will be called at least charitable."

"Thank you, old man, you should have been a lawyer. I know about as much about your opinion as I did before, but you haven't cleared up any of the fog that surrounds the question. What I want to get at is the different brands of honesty, and there must be several brands, if every man is honest who professes to be."

"I don't quite understand what you are driving at, Tom. You may have an ideal brand of honesty, and like a good many other reformers, you may think that every other man should measure up to your standard. You know I am always a little skeptical of people who profess too much in the way of honesty."

"Well, I like that sort of sarcasm. I must say, of course, I am honest, and so are you. Neither one of us ever stole sheep or anything else. We never had occasion to, but I am inclined to think that honesty means more than that."

The boys had struck a perplexing problem. The question of downright honesty has puzzled many older heads and is still unsolved.

Mr. Rockefeller and the Chicago university have recently been put on the gridiron by President Bascom. The great oil magnate is accused of gathering ill-gotten shekels from the poor, and the university is denounced as a party to the crime, by sharing in profits that the college president regards as shady, and yet Mr. Rockefeller's moral character is above reproach, and his word of honor is as good as his bond, in any transaction.

He may not reach up to the standard of President Bascom's ideals, but it will require more than an erratic attack, to convince the public that he is not honest.

J. Pierpont Morgan is accused by men who envy his great financial ability, of resorting to methods in business that they border on the questionable, and yet no man doubts the great financier's honesty.

The men in any community, who possess the faculty of accumulating money rapidly, are usually regarded with suspicion, and not unfrequently unjustly accused.

There is a difference between honesty and conscientiousness. The former is a principle that is recognized as fundamental in business, while the latter is largely a creature of education and environment. One deals with the great principles of right and wrong, while the other deals largely with questions of expediency.

There are many men who transact business on the square, whose weights and measurements are never short, and yet if a conductor overlooked them on a railway train, conscientiousness does not prompt them to call his attention to the fact. They are simply a ticket ahead, and the soulless corporation is responsible for careless employees.

It is said of Mr. Lincoln, when he was serving his apprenticeship as clerk in a country store, that he made an error of six cents in favor of an old lady from the country. The mistake was not discovered until evening, when he walked three miles to correct it.

About the same time he noticed that another customer was defrauded out of a quarter pound of tea, by accidentally weighing a four-ounce weight with the goods. He traveled two miles before breakfast to correct the error.

He could have been honest, by restoring the shortage in either case, the next time the customer called, but Mr. Lincoln possessed with honesty that rare gift of conscientiousness, and if there were any errors in his moral code, they were errors of the head, and not of the heart.

There is just now going on in the city an investigation, that has to do with the honesty of public officials and in the heat of the discussion it is possible to criticize and censure some men who may not be guilty of intentional wrongdoing.

While it is true that charter provisions have been disregarded, it is also true that many of the practices are not innovations.

It is very easy for a city official to follow a well-beaten path, and ex-

cuse himself for any irregularities on the ground of prestige. He may deem himself honest while pursuing the course, unless back of his honesty is a conscience of the Lincoln type.

There is no money quite so easy to spend as public money, and there is no crib quite so inviting as the public crib. A man may be perfectly honest in intention, and his private life and record may be free from blemish and still be a party to practices in public life that are questionable.

This is the condition that some members of the council and city officials find themselves in today. It is not so much the fault of the men as it is the fault of the constituency back of them.

While conscience is the birthright of the individual, and the most sacred thing that he possesses, it is also the property of the community, for there is such a thing as a public conscience, and when once aroused, there is no power on earth that can resist it.

A glance into the faces of the 250 determined men, who were present at the last meeting of the Municipal League, satisfied the most skeptical that Janesville possesses a public conscience and that it was fully aroused and vigorous in its demands for something more than the semblance of honesty in administering city affairs.

The spirit of every wholesome law is back of the letter of the law. It is possible to ignore the former, and keep somewhere near the limits of the latter.

The laws that govern cities, look to the rights of property and the welfare of the greatest number.

A city official should be more than an honest man, as the term is generally construed. He should possess both heart and conscience for he has committed to his keeping a sacred trust.

Many people pride themselves in their morality, forgetful of the fact that there is a marked difference between morality and christianity. Mr. Lincoln may not have professed very much by the way of the latter, but he possessed it in rare degree.

Morality is the offspring of christianity, however remote the birthmark and an enlightened sensitive conscience in the choicest heritage that any man possesses.

What Janesville, as well as every other city needs, is conscience in its official. Not necessarily church men, for loyalty to a creed is frequently a poor passport, but men whose honesty is so intense that it becomes an absorbing principle.

It has been suggested, and the suggestion is a good one, that the city treasurer, whose honesty is no one questions, should be clothed with the authority of city comptroller, and that at the first of two year a budget should be prepared carefully estimating the requirements of every department and that expenditures should not exceed appropriations.

If this had been done a year ago, and placed in the hands of a comptroller, the third ward fund would not be bankrupt today.

There are brighter days ahead for Janesville. A moral reform movement that is practical is always helpful. Conscience and honesty go well together. It is the only brand that is reliable.

## THE CASE OF MR. GOLDIN

The Milwaukee Sentinel published a few days ago, a sensational story, to the effect that Theodore Goldin had been called home by the county board and asked to resign his office as clerk of the court.

The story has been copied far and wide, and it does Mr. Goldin an injustice, for it is both false and misleading.

The county board has among its members a man by the name of Gettle. He was quite conspicuous during the campaign, both in Rock and Dane counties. He possessed a grievance against Mr. Goldin as well as against all other republicans who did not subscribe to his peculiar political creed, and the county board presented a good opportunity to air the grievance.

While Mr. Goldin's name was not mentioned it was generally understood that he was the bone of contention. The argument presented by Mr. Gettle amounted to nothing. Mr. Goldin is in no way responsible to the board. He was elected to office by the people and so long as his work satisfies the people, whether performed by himself or a deputy, there is no cause for complaint.

Mr. Goldin is neither a knave nor a fool. When he entered the race for the position secured in Madison, he knew what he was about, and his right to do so would never have been questioned, but for his whitewash friend Gettle. He will perform his work well at Madison, and the duties of his county office will not be neglected.

## POOR SOUTH CAROLINA

"Men have been shot and hanged in South Carolina who were appointed to office against the protest of the people, and the same shotguns, the same trees, and the same ropes are still there," said Senator Tillman to the senate in executive session Thursday in opposing the confirmation of Dr. Crum as collector of the port of Charleston. This brutal statement of the situation in South Carolina by the senior senator from that state did not shock the senate. Nothing that Tillman says ever shocks the senate. And nothing in South

Carolina shocks Washington. "The safest crime in South Carolina is murder" is an editorial expression of a Charleston newspaper in discussing the murder of Editor Gonzales by Lieutenant Governor Tillman, nephew of the senator. Tillman is trying to defeat the confirmation of Dr. Crum and he promised the senate some days ago he would present satisfactory evidence why Crum was unfitted for the office. His utterance today was the reason. The white people would murder him. Tillman gloried in it as he did in the declaration last spring that they had neither water cure nor sand cure in South Carolina. When they concluded to "put a nigger's head in the sand they put in his body, too." There was considerable more talk in the executive session against the confirmation of Dr. Crum and it was made apparent that notwithstanding Tillman's reasons the democrats in the senate will vote with him against confirmation. But Crum will be confirmed by republican votes. Tillman has drawn the color line in blood and no republican senator can now afford to vote against confirmation. The vote on the confirmation will be taken next Thursday.

## COWARDLY LETTER

"Unless you desist in opposing statehood a man who knows how to handle a gun will blow your block off." This is one of the sentences in a letter received by United States Senator Beveridge of Indiana. Since the young senator has taken a determined position against the statehood bill, New Mexico and Arizona partisans have repeatedly written him letters of warning. It was not until today that his life was actually threatened in one of this anonymous communications, and the senator notified the postoffice department that some of his large daily mail from the territories contained anything but kind letters. It is said by those who know Senator Beveridge best that this attack from ambush would tend to make him more vigorous in his opposition to the statehood measure. "When he believes he is fighting for a principle," remarked a senator colleague today, "Senator Beveridge will display the belligerency of a pioneer in a dangerous country."

## STOP LYING

Senator Randolph, the young democrat from Manitowoc, makes his debut as a legislator with a bill to keep railroad station agents from lying about passenger trains when they are late. Senator Randolph complains that the people living in the cities and towns north of Milwaukee have a grievance against alleged untruthful persons who combine the duties of ticket seller with those of telegraph operator. He declares that if a traveler inquires of an agent whether a certain train is late the latter will tell him the train in ten minutes late, when he knows that it is an hour or more behind time. The result is, the senator says, that much unnecessary annoyance is occasioned.

## PRESS COMMENT.

Milwaukee Sentinel: King Alphonso has good reasons to believe that the man behind the gun this time was not an American.

Marshfield Times: The gossiping neighbors of a Palmyra woman are charged with the death of three people at that place last week. Mrs. Amella Roller, a resident of Palmyra, hanged herself, two children, boys aged 3 and 5 respectively, and hanged herself. She left a note stating that she was driven to the deed by gossip. Each community

has its malicious gossips who might justly suffer the torments they inflict on others.

Washington Post: Right here is where the Hon. Billy Mason gets a strong side swipe by the political blizzard. His political coal bin is empty.

Chicago Chronicle: Census figures show that the average wealth of the inhabitants of the United States is \$1,320, which shows that an average figure is a mighty deceptive thing. Most of us are prepared to swear that somebody else has got our share of the asset.

Chicago Inter Ocean: In case the Vanderbilts should abandon railroading in the United States, that they may be better able to enjoy the repose which they think themselves entitled to, it will be interesting to learn what they can possibly turn their attention to in order to escape ennui.

Oshkosh Northwestern: T. W. Goldin of Janesville, who was recently appointed chief clerk of the senate at Madison, has discovered that the people of Rock county think a great deal of him. So much, in fact, that some of them are making serious objections to his remaining away from home when he is drawing a public salary there as clerk of the court. And the middlesex county board has even gone to the extent of passing a resolution summoning Mr. Goldin home with an implied threat that if he fails to obey this summons his salary as clerk of the court will be withheld from him for the three months he may be absent and attending to his other duties as chief clerk of the senate. Truly, Mr. Goldin is having troubles of his own.

## WANT ADS.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Inquire of Mrs. F. A. Taylor, No. 10 Clark street.

WANTED—Clean white wiping rags at Gazette office.

\$1600 buys 7-room house, 2 acres of choice land, homes, \$20 to \$250. Call on Mrs. J. R. Taylor, 105 Rock street, N. Dearborn.

WANTED—Two men with small security, \$12 week. Also, three men for street car. \$45. Call or write Mr. Krampo, 109 S. Clark street, Chicago.

WANTED—Competent girl, immediately; five dollars a week. Mrs. A. H. Barrington.

WANTED—Dining room girl at Hotel.

WANTED—Agents, either ladies or gentlemen, at once. \$2.00 a day with a chance to make \$1.00 to \$2.00 a day, steady work. Call and explain if you address Geo. I. Stratton, Park Hotel.

WANTED—Two furnished rooms, with bath, and board in private family. Address J. R. G. this office.

WANTED—Second hand roll top dock, good also. Inquire at Gazette office.

WANTED—Competent girl at the Ottoman House.

WANTED—A washerwoman at No. 57 Cornish street, 2nd ward.

WANTED—Bright, intelligent young man, 18 to 20 years old to learn engraving and to work around factory. Must be a hustler, not afraid to work. Address N. Gazette Office.

WANTED—Job printer at Gazette job department.

WANTED—Two rooms furnished for light housekeeping by man and wife. Address "L" Gazette office.

WANTED—Girl to operate knitting machine. Steady employment. Call early. Lewis Knitting Co., South Main street.

ADIES to make aprons, dressing gowns and articles of wearing apparel. Goods cut ready to sew. No outfit to buy. No deposit. Good pay. Stamped envelope for particulars. Modern Supply Club, 112 E. 3rd St., Chicago.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Good income and good wages for right party. Call at 154 South Main street, city.

## FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Residence, 129 Terrace street. Apply on the premises.

FOR SALE—Guitar, a fine instrument, cheap. Call afternoon or evening. Mrs. Tiffany, corner Prairie and Benton avenues.

FOR SALE—Horse, weight 1,100 lbs. Good animal for driving, general or delivery work. Jas. Dalton, S. Franklin St.

## MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—20 tons of A1 timothy hay. Call at 188 S. Main street. C. E. Jenkins.

ROCK COUNTY MAPS or map books, \$1 each, at the Gazette office.

FOR SALE—40-acre farm 2 miles from Janesville. Inquire of Attorney J. J. Cuningham, 2nd floor Hayes block.

FOR SALE, at a bargain—A second hand safe good as new. Inquire at 33 S. Main St.

FOR SALE—To close out remainder of Rock county maps and map books, they are being sold at \$1 for choice at Gazette office. Big bargain.

FOR SALE—Old papers to lay under carpets. 5 cents a package at Gazette office.

PERSONAL—Widely, lonely, kind hearted gentleman, with elegant home, seeks wife to share his home and wealth. Address "Mr. Morgan," St. Louis, Mo.

LOST \$25 in cash, on West Milwaukee street. Reward. Leave at this office.

LOST—Three ladies' rings, in Jackman building. Finder rewarded by returning same to this office.

LOST, near Third ward school—A kitten marked in three colors—gray, yellow and white. Reward if returned to 61 East St., south.

CLAIM VOUCHER, traces medium. Readings on all affairs, 50c; daily from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. all at 161 South Jackson street.

LOST—Black leather purse, containing two bills and silver. Liberal reward if returned to this office.

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I have a shipment of New Coal. SOFT COAL—Pocahontas, Black Band, Red Jacket, Virginia Splint, Hoeking and Bleek.

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"Sweets for the Sweet" bear in mind

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It matters not what your needs may be.

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Fresh and pure they guarantee to you.

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The best goods in Janesville to supply.

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You will be surprised what good Cloaks we are letting out at this price.

It would be wise to act soon. See our display in west window.

## Flannelette

## Wrappers

At \$1.00

Twenty dozen have just been received from a manufacturer noted for making Wrappers that fit. They comprise the most desirable of colorings, such as blue and white, black and white, red and black and dark fancies. Sizes are 32 to 46 and they are such Wrappers as retail regularly from \$1.50 to \$2, but being secured at special figures enables us to offer choice at

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# HAVE SELECTED PINAFORE CAST

AMATEURS WHO WILL TAKE THE  
LEADING PARTS

IN THE POPULAR COMIC OPERA

Father Vaughn, the Actor-Priest, Be-  
gins the Work of Staging the  
Production.

Rehearsals for the comic opera, "H. M. S. Pinafore," which is to be given under the auspices of St. Cecilia's society of St. Mary's church, are progressing in a very satisfactory manner. The cast is now nearly complete, all the principals having been chosen. The opera is to be given entirely by local talent under the direction of Rev. Father L. J. Vaughn, of La Crosse, and Prof. W. Thiele, of Beloit.

**Members of Cast**  
The leading part of the Right Honorable Sir Joseph Porter, K. C. B., ruler of the Queen's navy has been assigned to Andrew Gibbons and Prof. J. S. Taylor takes the part of Capt. Corcoran, commanding H. M. S. Pinafore. W. E. Thresher is cast for Ralph Rackett; Peter Neuses for Dick Deadeye; Clyde Turnbull for Bill Bobstay and Robert Norton for Bob Becket.

In the leading feminine roles, Mrs. Marie Mullenschlager Roessing has been selected for Josephine, the captain's daughter, Miss Lillie Bourg-meyer for Hebe, Sir Joseph's first cousin and Mrs. Phenile Grand Kneff for Little Buttercup, the Portsmouth bumboat woman. Some of the minor parts still remain to be chosen from the ranks of the chorus, which is a large one.

**Father Vaughn Takes Charge**  
Up to this time the rehearsals have been conducted entirely by Prof. Thiele, with Miss Tessie Gibbons at the piano. Rev. Vaughn, who is to take entire charge of staging the production was present at this week's rehearsal and began his work with the principals. He will be here for two days next week and will spend the entire week preceding the production in this city.

Those who saw Thursday evening's rehearsal say that this company of amateurs is doing admirable work and predict that the coming production of Gilbert and Sullivan's ever-popular opera will be a great success. The opera will be given on two evenings early in February at the Myers Grand.

# ENTERTAINED IN HONOR OF NEPHEW

Hugh Craig, of Indianapolis, Was  
the Guest of Honor at a Small,  
Informal Gathering.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Craig entertained a small company of young people in charming manner at their home, 260 Prospect avenue, Friday evening. The party was in honor of their nephew, Hugh Craig, of Indianapolis, Ind., who is their guest for the winter. The evening was happily spent by the young people, various games being played. Chief among their games was ping pong, the players having quite an exciting time over the fascinating contests. The little party was entirely informal in its nature and the guests had a jolly time together. During the evening Mrs. Craig served delicious light refreshments and good nights were said at a seasonable hour.

# ARRESTS SUSPECT IN ROBBERY CASE

Chris Nicholson is Arrested, Charged  
with Knowledge of the Reuss  
Burglary.

Chris Nicholson was placed under arrest last night by Chief Hogan for the Reuss robbery on Wednesday night and will be held pending investigation. The chief has been looking up Nicholson's record since the robbery and has discovered several things that look bad for him. He worked for the Blodgett Milling Co. last week and after paying his board Saturday did not have any money of any amount left. Thursday he was into one of the banks and had changed a lot of dimes, nickels and quarters for bills and has spent considerable money since that time. Nicholson has frequented Reuss' place of late and was familiar with it. At one time he slept in the room over the saloon that is connected with the elevator and had plenty of time to investigate the plan of going up and down the shaft.

All that seems to be necessary to make an actor solid with a Janesville theater audience is to spring some gag on municipal affairs. Richard Golden used the city council to good advantage several times in Foxey Quiller, and last night the sorcerer in the Storms made good by a "me to the stone crusher," when all means of subsistence had failed him.

# DELEGATE FOR ALASKA.

House Passes Bill Providing Repre-  
sentation for Territory.

Washington, Jan. 24.—The house passed 235 private pension bills. They included a pension to the widow of General Franz Sigel at \$100 a month, to the widow of General James S. Negley at \$30 and to the widow of Rear Admiral Henry Pickens at \$40. The Alaska delegate bill was passed. It provides for the representation of the territory of Alaska in the house of representatives by a delegate. It also defines the citizenship and qualifications of electors and creates the machinery for elections, the date of which shall be the last Tuesday in September. The first delegate is to be elected next autumn to the fifty-eighth congress.

# NOTICE.

The Gazette is willing and pleased to publish all notices of lodge or society meetings; but it has found it necessary to make the rule that all such notices must be written and left at the office before 11 o'clock of the day they are to be published. In the future no notices, except paid ones, will be received over the telephone.

# FUTURE EVENTS

Mission services at the Trinity and Christ Episcopal churches every day and evening.  
Services in the local churches on Sunday morning and evening.  
Men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.  
Dancing school social at Central hall, Monday evening.  
Wallace Bruce lectures on "Scottish Shirlines" in the People's Lecture Course at the Congregational church, Tuesday evening.  
King Dodo at the Myers Grand Wednesday evening.

# LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT

America Lodge, No. 26, Daughters of Rebekah at East Side Old Fellows' hall.

# BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

Good races at the rink this evening will be commenced at 9 o'clock.  
Gent's black cashmere socks, worth 35c, going for 18c at our special clearing sale. T. P. Burns.  
The next Y. P. S. party will be given on February 10 th at the Assembly hall. Smith's orchestra. Watch for your invitation.  
At \$7.50 each Bort Bailey & Co. are offering this month the greatest cloak bargain of the year.  
Go to the rink this evening and see the races. The Imperial band will furnish the music.  
Clerk of the Court Goldin is home from Madison to spend Sunday.  
Some of the season's choicest styles in cloaks going at half price at our special clearing sale. T. P. Burns.  
When your eyes commence to give you trouble that is the time to have an eye specialist examine them. Some small defect, if checked in time may save your eye sight and a large expense account. W. F. Hayes, the eye specialist with F. C. Cook & Co. is in his Janesville office every Saturday and Monday.  
Forty-two late style Monte Carlo coats that range in values from \$15 to \$25 are offered at the \$7.50 figure. Bargains in every sense of the word. Bort Bailey & Co.  
Celebration of the anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns by the Rock County Caledonian society at Assembly hall on Tuesday evening.  
Ladies scarlet underwear, worth \$1.25, selling for 39c at our special clearing sale. T. P. Burns.  
Monte Carlo jackets are famous and at \$7.50 each they are the Bort Bailey & Co. bargain of the season.  
Regular \$25 coat values Bort, Bailey & Co. are offering at \$7.50. There are six of these coats.  
Assemblyman Charles L. Valentino is home from Madison over Sunday.  
A marriage license was issued today to Bert Willard of Sharon and Lillian Westby of Bradford.  
The Imperial band will play at the rink this evening and the races will undoubtedly prove interesting.  
Mr. F. A. A. Robertson of Milwaukee will sing at the morning service in the Congregational church, and at the First Baptist in the evening.  
Commencing on Sunday January 25 the following changes will be made in time of trains via C. M. & St. P. for Milwaukee on Sundays only, 4:35 p. m. Mineral Point division on Sundays only 10:35 a. m.  
At our store beginning Monday, January 26th and continuing through the week, free embroidery lessons will be given by Mrs. Jung.  
Toal & Ludlow.  
A great deal of interest is being manifested in the Lecture on "Scottish Shirlines" to be given by Wallace Bruce on Tuesday evening of next week, January 27th, at the Congregational church.  
Lots of fine dairy butter in small jars came today. Come and get it tonight at 25c per lb by the jar.  
The Fair.  
Wallace Bruce, the great orator and lecturer will deliver his lecture on "Scottish Shirlines" on Tuesday evening of next week, January 27th, under the auspices of the People's Lecture course.  
In the circuit court the arguments in the case of Fisher and Fisher against the Western Union Telegraph were completed this morning. Judge Dunwiddle took the case under advisement and will hand down his decision later.

# Asks Leave of Absence.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Secretary Root received a cablegram from Gov. Taft at Manila requesting a six months' leave of absence for Commissioner Ide, dating from Feb. 15. Commissioner Ide is in ill health owing to his two years and a half of continuous service in the islands, and his condition requires that he should recuperate in a temperate climate.

# Defeat for Port Arthur.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Senators Dewey and Hanna, representing great New York financial interests, have succeeded in defeating in committee the project of John W. Gates and other Western railway men and financiers to have Port Arthur, Texas, made a port of entry to the disadvantage of Sabine Pass, its rival.

# Pushes Immigration Bill.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Senator Fairbanks made an effort to get an agreement among senators to have the immigration bill considered and disposed of with but little debate. His program is to have such amendments accepted as will relieve the measure from antagonism.

# Mexico's Currency.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Mexico desires to establish a currency system that will be uniform and interchangeable with that of the United States, according to a statement made by Representative Hill of Connecticut during the debate on the Philippine currency bill.

# MISSION BEGAN LAST EVENING

SERVICES IN BOTH CHURCHES  
VERY SIMILAR.

CHARGE RESIGNED TO FATHERS

Rectors of Trinity and Christ Churches  
Give Over Responsibility Dur-  
ing the Mission.

Three Fathers from the Holy Cross House at Westminster, Maryland, arrived in the city on Friday evening, and held services of the Episcopal Mission which will continue for the coming twelve days. After opening the services in their respective churches, Rev. A. H. Barrington, rector of Christ church, and Rev. J. A. M. Richey, rector of Trinity church, gave over the spiritual care and responsibility of the congregations for the period of the mission. The duties were assumed by Fathers Huntington, Hughson, and Sill.

# Arrived Last Night.

The three Fathers who are to conduct the mission arrived from the East at 8:55 in the evening, and held their first service at 7:30. At that hour the Trinity church mission began. Christ church opening thirty minutes later in order to give one of the Holy Cross Fathers time to go from one church to the other. Two of the three will be at each church each evening.

# Gave Over Charge

Last evening all three of the mission conductors were at Trinity church at the beginning of the hour. After the preliminary service, and the resignation of spiritual authority by Rev. Richey, Fathers Huntington and Hughson went to Christ church. At both churches the services were similar, consisting of prayers, songs and the mission instruction.

# DEGREE TEAM IS HIGHLY PRAISED

Large Delegation of Odd Fellows At-  
tended Grand Encampment  
Session at Belvidere.

New laurels of which they have reason to be proud, were won by the degree team of Rock River encampment No. 3, I. O. O. F., at the special session of the Grand Encampment of Illinois at Belvidere, Ill., Friday evening. The Janesville team exemplified the work of the evening conferring the Patriarchal, Golden Rule and Royal Purple degrees.

The grand officers of Illinois were much pleased with the manner in which the drill team put the work on the floor. Grand Patriarch Wood said that in all his experience in Illinois lodge rooms it was the first time that he had ever seen the Royal Purple degree conferred strictly according to the ritual. He and Grand High Priest Kinney both expressed their intention of visiting Janesville in the near future to see the team exemplify the work in its own lodge room.

The highest compliments were showered upon the visitors and it was easy to see that the Illinois Odd Fellows were greatly surprised at the excellence of the work done. The degree team was accompanied by a large delegation, the party including fifty-four members of the local encampment. Past Grand Patriarch James A. Fathers and J. F. Hutchinson made brief addresses, expressing the thanks of the visitors for the hospitality extended.

The Janesville delegation is delighted with the trip. After the meeting an elegant banquet was served by the Belvidere encampment, who did the honors as host in royal manner. The party returned home at 2:30 o'clock in the morning.

# HONORS WERE WON BY MISS JACKMAN

She and Miss La Follette Were the  
Bright, Particular Stars in  
Amateur Play.

In the presentation of "A Scrap of Paper" at the Fuller Opera House, Madison Friday evening, by the Red Domino Dramatic club, the honors of the evening were accorded Miss Fola La Follette, daughter of the governor, and Miss Margaret Jackman, of this city. The compliment of the distinctive ability of the two young ladies is all the greater because the parts in the play are such that the six girls in the cast had almost equal opportunity and prominence. Miss Jackman appeared as the old maid and her character work in the difficult role was excellent.

The Red Domino, which presented "A Scrap of Paper" as its annual play was organized as one of the societies of the University of Wisconsin in the spring of 1899. Miss Jennie Butt, at that time the instructor in elocution, was the founder. The club is a secret organization and the names of the officers are never made known to the public. The objects of the club are likewise secret.

This year is the first time that the Red Domino has put a play on the opera house stage. Novel programs were presented by the club as souvenirs, on the first page being pasted the facsimile of the scrap of paper which caused the many funny complications in the plot.

# NEWS OF THE CITY IN BRIEF.

Improves Very Much: John Hockett, the young man who had his arm crushed in the elevator wheels at the Jackman block, has left the hospital and is able to be about the streets. It will be a long time, however, before he has the use of his arm.  
New Fire Box: Fire alarm box 64 will be placed in position next week to furnish protection for the property in the vicinity of the water works pumping station.

# NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

F. S. Winslow was a visitor to  
Chicago yesterday.

Dr. J. F. Pember has returned from a brief visit to Chicago.  
R. C. Smith of Beloit was in the city today on business.

F. S. Taggart returned home last night from a business trip.  
S. D. Green and C. E. Sweeney of Edgerton were in the city over night.

George Fleury was in Chicago yesterday on business.  
Frank Fisher attended the dancing school social at Beloit last evening.

Otto Dreyer went to Beloit last evening to attend the dancing school social.  
Senator Whiteshead came down from Madison last evening and will remain until Monday.

The Storks left for Rockford at 9:35 this morning and will appear there this evening.  
F. P. Starr and wife went to Newark this morning and will spend Sunday with Mr. Starr's mother.

J. L. Fisher left for Chicago this morning to spend Sunday with friends in that city.  
Assemblyman Alex. White was in the city today to sign county board orders.

Misses Kathryn and Josephine Fenton visited friends in Beloit over night and attended the dancing school social.

Miss Maggie Farrell, who is quarantined at her Spring Brook home with the scarlet fever, is quite seriously ill.

W. E. Ball, of New York, representing Revillon & Freres and L. Loenstein of Minneapolis representing Joseph Gilman, were in the city today buying furs from Lucius Kennedy.

George C. Powers, industrial commissioner of the Illinois Central railroad was in the city today as the guest of P. Hohenedale, Jr., Jr. Powers is interested in getting the new cannery plant located at Monroe.

# MRS. CLELAND'S FUNERAL

Services Will be Held at the Home  
and the Congregational Church.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Jane Ann Cleland will be held Sunday afternoon. A brief service for the members of the family will be held at the home, 53 1/2 Dodge street, at 2:30 o'clock, followed by the service for friends at the Congregational church at 3 o'clock. Rev. Robert C. Denison will officiate and the interment will be in Oak Hill cemetery. Friends who desire to view Mrs. Cleland's remains are requested to call at the home from 12 to 1 o'clock. The casket will not be opened at the church.

# Mrs. Quirk

Mrs. Michael Quirk of Spring Green died last evening at 8:30 o'clock at the Palmer hospital, she having been there under treatment for the last two weeks. A husband and four children are left to mourn her death. The remains were taken to Spring Green for interment at 1:40 this afternoon.

Maurice Reed had six hundred dollars' insurance on the tobacco owned by him which was destroyed by fire on Tuesday night.

A broken wire on circuit No. 3, of the fire alarm telegraph caused the bell to tap once about 9:30 o'clock on Friday morning. Chief Klein soon had the break repaired and the line in working order.

W. H. Gates, the Milton Junction banker was in the city Friday on business.

# Baby Green

Funeral services of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Green, of Rockford, Ill., were held from the home of the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Green, 109 Pleasant street, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. J. T. Henderson conducted the brief service and the interment was in Oak Hill cemetery.

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# THIS MEETING HELD LEGALLY

CITIZENS' FIRE INSURANCE CO.  
TRANSCACTED BUSINESS.

QUORUM OF TEN WAS PRESENT

Sufficient Number of Members Pres-  
ent to Elect Directors, Who  
Also Met.

For the second time in less than two weeks the Citizens' Mutual Fire Insurance company held their annual meeting on Friday evening. On Jan. 12 a meeting had been called and officers elected, but the result was afterward declared unconstitutional and therefore null and void because a quorum was not present. In the Jackman block offices of the company another meeting was held last night at which more than ten men, holding more than ten thousand dollars' worth of insurance stock, were present, and it was possible to legally transact the annual business.

# Annual Meeting

Aside from a reading of the reports of Secretary Cunningham, and A. E. Bingham of the auditing committee the only business at the annual meeting of the company was the election of two directors. They were to serve for three years in the place of V. G. Palmer and the expiring policies.

# EXPERT BOXERS COMING

Will Appear At The Roller Rink Next  
Thursday Evening

Much interest is being shown in all portions of the county on the outcome of the ten round boxing contest that will be pulled off at the rink next Thursday evening. The contestants are the famous Berry of Milwaukee and Falls of St. Paul. The local management were only able to secure these men simply because they were unable to compete in arranged Chicago matches that were stopped this week by order of Mayor Carter Harrison. The rink Thursday evening should be crowded to the doors. The one price of admission was 50 cts. with no charge for reserved seats. Boys will be charged 25 cents. This is the only first class contest of this kind that was ever pulled off in this city and it will stand those in hand who attend to be on hand early.

# Blaze Killer

The Advance Fire Appliance Co., of Milwaukee will give an exhibition on the Corn Exchange Square, Monday evening at 7:30. They have a "blaze killer" that is a novelty and is very effective. The city officials are especially invited to be present.

Bert Watt has started out on an extended trip for the Isabel works. George Stratton of Stevens Point an old Janesville boy is renewing acquaintances in this city.

# BUSINESS HAS TRIPLED

Janesville People Fully Appreciate  
Home Made Baking

Judging from the call that Dedrick Bros. have had this week for their line of home made bread, pies, cakes, doughnuts and cookies, it is quite evident that this West Side grocery firm have a woman baking for them, who bakes "just like mother used to."

"That bread is simply delicious," said a Third ward lady today, "and I would like to know who baked it."

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## WORK-TO-BEGIN ON PANAMA CANAL

### TERMS OF PACT MADE PUBLIC

Agreement With Colombia Provides for \$10,000,000 Down and an Annuity of \$250,000 in Consideration of Grant That is Practically Perpetual.

Washington, Jan. 24.—The signing of the canal treaty with Colombia assures the beginning of work before the close of the year. The treaty and other subjects of great moment were discussed at a cabinet meeting, which was one of the most important held in several weeks. The session of the cabinet continued for two hours. All the members were present. Secretary Hay leaving his home for the first time in several days to attend the meeting.

He presented a draft of the Panama canal treaty, which provides for \$10,000,000 down and an annuity of \$250,000, and both the president and his associates in the cabinet expressed satisfaction with the results achieved through the long and difficult negotiations.

#### Agree on Rental.

The treaty is identical with that drawn by this government several months ago, and at that time submitted to the Colombian government, with the single exception of the amount of annuity to be paid Colombia for the right of way to the canal. This government proposed an annuity of \$100,000, while Colombia demanded \$650,000.

The Colombian government's demand was based, it is stated, upon the ascertained returns from the Panama Railroad company in port dues, etc., which Colombia did not desire to have reduced. During the several months of negotiations Colombia agreed to all points in the treaty proposed by the United States with the exception of the annuity. That has been the point of difference for many weeks and at one time it threatened to break off negotiations entirely.

#### Hay Makes Demands.

Secretary Hay communicated directly with the Colombian government, intimating that some agreement must be reached soon, as the United States desired to enter on the construction of the canal if it were to be constructed by the Panama route. The Colombian government, then, through Dr. Herran, the charge d'affaires here, agreed to accept an annuity of \$250,000. This was entirely satisfactory to the president and Secretary Hay, and while it is a larger amount than was offered at first, it is believed by administration officials that the senate undoubtedly will accept the figure named in the treaty, particularly after it is made clear that a lesser amount would deprive Colombia of income which she is now actually receiving.

#### Treaty is Satisfactory.

All other points than this one of money compensation remain as they stood in the original draft of the treaty, and are completely satisfactory to the United States government. The United States will have control of the canal practically in perpetuity, as required by the Spooner act, this result having been attained by the adoption of a plan for a lease for 100 years, renewable at the pleasure of the United States, and Colombia having nothing to say about the extension.

The matter of police and judicial control is settled by a scheme of joint action, although it especially is assured that no citizen of the United States will be tried by any other than his own courts. Control of the waters of the ports of Colon and Panama is vested in the United States, just as far as may be necessary for the complete operation of the canal, and it is assured that our extra territorial jurisdiction will be unquestioned as to waters and streams pertaining to the canal. All port dues on vessels passing the canal are to go to the United States by way of offset for the annuity payments.

#### Is Sent to Senate.

It was not Secretary Hay's intention to transmit the signed treaty to the Senate at once, but after the President and the Cabinet discussed it the conclusion was reached that it would be advisable to send it to the Senate at the earliest possible moment. The formal letter of transmittal, therefore, was prepared at once, and the treaty was sent to the Senate. The Republican managers there are confident that it will be promptly ratified, notwithstanding the present deadlock over the statehood bill. The advocates of the statehood bill are also strong supporters of the canal, and they cannot delay the treaty by the statehood bill without arousing suspicion as to their sincerity in the assertion that they want the canal question promptly settled to reassure public sentiment that the great waterway is to be constructed.

#### LESSLER NAMES QUIGG.

Charges Former Congressman With Having Offered a Bribe.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Clemens E. Quigg, former congressman from New York, has been publicly accused by Representative Lessler in connection with the alleged attempt to bribe the latter to vote for the building of more submarine boats. The accusations were made at the first hearing given by the House committee on naval affairs in its investigation of Mr. Lessler's charges.

Mr. Lessler said Philip Doblin, a deputy in the office of John McCullagh, superintendent of elections in New

York, called on "him" (Lessler), representing that he had been sent by Mr. Quigg and that Mr. Quigg had told him there was \$5,000 in it if he (Lessler) could be brought to the other side. Mr. Lessler said that on his rejection of the proposal Doblin suggested that Mr. Quigg was a man of power and influence and "that if I wanted to come back here I would be aiding myself by doing this favor."

Mr. Lessler then told of an interview he had with Mr. Quigg at the latter's solicitation. He said Mr. Quigg did not mention torpedo boats, but added: "As I had no other business with him I inferred it was on this account he came to see me." He said he told Mr. Quigg there must be no suggestion of money raised.

Mr. Lessler told of a conversation he had with Mr. McCullagh in Washington. Mr. McCullagh, he said, told him that there were men in New York who could reject him or defeat him and that they wanted him to support the submarine boat measure. Mr. Lessler said he told McCullagh he could not do it. This testimony was corroborated by Mr. Lessler's secretary, Frank B. Zon.

Mr. Quigg, who was present, asked for an early hearing, but the committee decided first to hear Mr. Doblin, and he was summoned from New York.

Mr. Quigg made a statement denying the allegations made concerning Doblin so far as they associated him (Quigg) with offers of money, but admitting that he called on Lessler in the interest of the submarine boat bill. He said he had no personal interest in the measure, but did this for a friend, whose name, he said, he would give to the committee.

#### 'Bank Robbers Get \$6,000.

Somerset, O., Jan. 24.—Robbers forced an entrance to the City bank. They blew open the safe and obtained between \$5,000 and \$6,000. At the edge of the town the robbers broke open the barn of James Gray, took a valuable horse and wagon and escaped across the country.

#### Military School at Purdue.

Lafayette, Ind., Jan. 24.—Capt. F. H. Albright, U. S. A., has arrived from Fort Reno, Ok., to take charge of the military department of Purdue university. Purdue has 350 military students, fully armed and equipped, and a battery of three guns.

#### Officials Under Arrest.

Bucharest, Jan. 24.—Two high officials of the ministry of finance have been arrested on the charge of defrauding the government out of several hundred thousand francs.

#### Hubbard Smith Very Ill.

Nice, Jan. 24.—Hubbard T. Smith, the vice and deputy consul general of the United States at Cairo, Egypt, who was taken ill at Genoa, is now in the Protestant hospital here.

## PRIMARY BILLS WERE RUSHED IN

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able that the tax commission will, in its report recommend that such a bill be passed by the legislature.

**Immediate Attention**  
The primary election bills will, it is understood, receive the immediate attention of the committee on assessment and collection of taxes. It is evidently a part of the governor's plan to get one of these measures passed, and the matter out of the way at an early date as possible. W. A. B.

### MAKES ODD WEDDING CONTRACT

Young Wife to Get \$5,000 Annually to Care for Old Husband.

Marion, Ind., Jan. 24.—Joseph Market, aged 80 and said to be worth \$100,000, married Miss May Davis, 23. Market was a widower and has four children. He did not wish to marry a woman who wanted him only for his estate, and to insure himself good treatment made a contract with her by which she will not get any of his estate at death, but is to receive \$5,000 a year as long as she takes good care of him and keeps him alive.

### COW WITH RABIES RUNS AMUCK

Mad Brute Injures Five Persons in Business District of St. Paul.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 24.—A rabid cow, belonging to Frederick Weyerhaeuser, the millionaire lumberman, terrorized for more than an hour a district in the heart of the city, and before she was recaptured injured five persons, among them being her owner. A veterinarian of the health department stated that the animal had pronounced symptoms of rabies.

### JEWISH UNION ENDS SESSION

Sale of Seats at Religious Meetings Is Strongly Condemned.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 24.—The union of Jewish congregations has held its final session. A committee on affiliation reported that a low rate of initiation should be charged to nonmembers to join the union. The sale of seats at religious services was strongly condemned. Chicago was selected as the place for the next meeting.

#### Dead Man a Defaulter.

Washington, Jan. 24.—A committee of experts from the treasury department has made a report to the secretary of the treasury as to the result of an investigation of the accounts of the late William S. Yeatman as disbursing clerk of the war department. It is reported by the committee that Mr. Yeatman, at the time of his death eighteen months ago, was a defaulter to the amount of \$64,611.

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